

Massachusetts All-Payer Claims Database: Technical Assistance Group (TAG)

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Agenda

- APCD Version 6.0
- Housekeeping Items
- Questions

Intake APCD Version 6.0

MA APCD Intake Process	Intake 6.0 Timeline
Proposals Shared/Discussed with Carriers	December 2016/January 2017
New sftp testing	January 2017
Draft Submission Guides published	January 2017
Guides Reviewed at Technical Advisory Group	January 2017
Carrier Comment Period	January 2017
New sftp Pilot	April 2017
Administrative Bulletin and Guides Adopted	February 2017
Development/Testing	February/July 2017
Carrier Testing – new guides and new transmission process	July/August 2017
MA APCD Intake Version 6 Production	September 2017

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- Friday 9/15 @ 12pm Eastern is the deadline to submit APCD V5.0 formatted files using SENDSPlus
- Beginning Monday 9/18 all APCD submissions must be in V6.0 format (including V5.0 time periods) and must be sent using File Secure (encryption) and SFTP (transmission)
- Member Eligibility edit testing for MA APCD Intake 6.0 will be ready next week along with certain production file types.
- Carriers will need to install new version of File Secure before testing Member Eligibility or sending production files

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- Carriers must have an approved V6.0 variance loaded before submitting production data
- September 2017 – both July 2017 and August 2017 production data due at CHIA
- Contact our help desk with any File Secure/SFTP issues (include screenshot of error if possible). Email: CHIA-DL-Data-Submitter-HelpDesk@MassMail.State.MA.US

Housekeeping Items

- DOI Reporting:
 - Q2 2017 Membership sent 8/29 (due 10/13)
 - Utilization report carrier webinar on 9/19 @ 12pm

Next Meetings

October 10, 2017 @ 2:00 pm

November 14, 2017 @ 2:00 pm

Questions?